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RESOLUTION NO. 03-04

WHEREAS, Western Washington University is seeking approval to establish a Bachelor of Arts in East Asian Studies; and

WHEREAS, The program will fuel the state's economy and promote a greater understanding of a region extremely important to the Pacific Northwest; and

WHEREAS, The program will be popular among students and employers alike; and

WHEREAS, The external reviews attest to the quality and need for the program; and

WHEREAS, The program of study, faculty resources, and assessment and diversity plans are outstanding; and

WHEREAS, The program costs are negligible;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Higher Education Coordinating Board approves the Western Washington University proposal to establish a Bachelor of Arts in East Asian Studies beginning spring 2003, effective January 2003.

Adopted:

January 29, 2003

Attest:

Bob Craves, Chair

Pat Stanford, Secretary

